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GENERAL NEWS.

Henry Ward Beecher Taken Suddenly Ill in Chicago.

TROUBLE ARISEN WITH HALF BREEDS IN MONTANA.

Vanderbilt Defeated in a Railroad Suit in Ohio Criminal Notes, etc.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.

CHICAGO, March 6.—Henry Ward Beecher lectured to a crowded house at Central music hall tonight. His subject was, "The Moral uses of Slavery and Beauty." He had proceeded in his talk about twenty-five minutes and when he reached the passage about the difficulties of rich men in attaining salvation he began, "There is an impression—" At this point he stopped, hesitated, and appeared to stagger. Some one in the audience, seeing he was about to faint, gave the alarm and he was helped off the stage by a gentleman on the platform. Prof. Swing, who had introduced Mr. Beecher, made a brief announcement that Mr. Beecher was suddenly indisposed and moved that he be excused for the evening, a motion that was unanimously concurred in. Medical aid was summoned at once and it was discovered that Mr. Beecher had been weakened by stomach troubles and that his fainting was brought on by the close atmosphere of the crowded hall. He is billed for a lecture at Ottawa to-morrow night and says he will fill the engagement.

Vanderbilt Defeated.

COLUMBUS, O., March 7.—The attorney general today secured a verdict in his favor against Vanderbilt in the case of the consolidation of the C. C. C. & I. and C. H. & D. railroads and leased lines. This is a square defeat for Vanderbilt.

The Boston Bank Failure.

BOSTON, March 7.—It is stated that the New England and Exchange national banks hold the bulk of Sweet & Co's securities, and the firm wish to put the Massachusetts Central railroad into the hands of a syndicate for completion. It is also stated that a reorganization of the firm will be effected with the retirement of the active members.

An Opportunity for Warfare.

ST. PAUL, March 7.—Gen. Terry has been asked for advice by Commandant Reid of the camp on Poplar river, who reports that Sheriff Healey, of Choteau county, Montana, with a posse went into a camp of half-breeds on Milk river, near Poplar river agency, for the purpose of collecting taxes, and succeeded in getting cash and robes to the amount of about $1000, when the whole covers made an emphatic kick on what they were pleased to consider Healey's exactions. So they quietly made the sheriff and party prisoners, and now don't know what to do with them. The half-breeds mentioned are really trespassers on American soil, as they came south of the line last fall for the purpose of hunting buffalo, and are known to be largely engaged in smuggling and selling liquor and ammunition to Indians.

Congressional Assistance Asked.

MEMPHIS, March 7.—The following telegram was sent this morning to senators Harrison and Jackson, and congressman Moore at Washington:

The suffering brought to our notice by inhabitants of counties in Tennessee, bordering on the Mississippi, occasioned by the overflow, calls loudly for assistance from the government. What Memphis has done or can do will be inadequate. We urge you to obtain authority to have rations purchased here for immediate distribution in order to save persons from actual starvation. Some three to five thousand persons are in absolute need and must be help-d immediately. (Signed) Napoleon Hill, president relief exchange; D. P. Haddon, president taxing district, and others.

The Situation near Memphis.

MEMPHIS, March 7.—Supplies were sent this afternoon to points on both sides of the river between here and Greenville, Mississippi. Every day brings intelligence of widespread suffering and destitution of people within inundated regions. The levee in front of Helena, Ark., is still intact, but backwater is encroaching upon the business portion of the city. Levees between Vicksburg and Helena are covered with stock in a starving condition. Several rafts with whole families aboard have been seen floating down stream. The situation has become desperate in some localities, and now it is only a question of provisions or early starvation to both human beings and stock.

Water still Rising at Greenville.

NEW ORLEANS, March 7.—The *Picayune's* Greenville, Miss., special says last water is still running and is now from six inches to a foot higher than at any previous overflow since the country was first settled. There will be very little land above water from the river front to the hills beyond the Yazoo river. Greenville is secure from any possible overflow. Refugees from overflowed plantations are congregating here, and our resources to feed and shelter them will be severely taxed. Very few plantations have even a strip of land above water. Loss of stock there is almost total. Levees are thronged with negroes and stock, whose condition is most deplorable. As the extent becomes known this calamity begins to appal. A tax sufficient to rebuild the levees would be almost insupportable, but that is only an item. Laborers have lost their stock and household goods and are in a panic-stricken and demoralized condition. Despondency among planters and merchants is deepening. At first this flow was regarded as a disaster involving losses and hard times. Now it is assuming graver and greater proportions. The most thoughtful as well as the most sanguine too, upon it as a disaster greater than has ever before befallen the bottom country. A correspondent does not believe confidence or peace can be restored without national help to rebuild the levees.

Cattle Thieves Killed.

DENVER, March 7.—*Republican's* special: Thursday Arnold Howard and Frank Young, charged with cattle stealing, were arrested and placed in jail at Del Norte. Saturday night one hundred mounted men, said to be stockmen from Rio Grande and San Luis valleys, rode down, the guards and the jail was broken open. The prisoners attempted to escape, but Young was mortally wounded and Howard killed outright.

A New Agreement Made.

CHICAGO, March 7.—The Chicago and Alton, Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, and Southern Pacific roads have formed a freight line from Chicago to California. A joint tariff will be established and all will be governed by the same, and by a contract made by the Central and Union Pacific and northern overland line.

Helena's Distress.

HELENA, ARK., March 7.—The situation to night is alarming in the extreme. The levee broke above the city last night and water is only kept off from the city by a cross levee at Walker street. Merchants are preparing for a general overflow. Reports from below continue of the most distressing character. Two new breaks occurred to-day and much more damage is reported.

Trouble with the Taos Pueblos.

SANTA FE, N. M., March 7.—Governor Sheldon received news from Taos yesterday which, if substantiated, is serious. It is to the effect that four days ago some Taos Pueblos became drunk, and were arrested and placed in jail. They escaped and D. upty Sheriffs Mears and Martinez visited to the Pueblo's town to rescreat them. They and their posse were met by 30 armed Pueblo Indians, and a fight ensued in which Deputy Sheriff Mairs was killed and Deputy Sheriff Martinez mortally wounded. The murderers are not yet captured. The Taos Pueblo is one of the richest and largest in the territory, and heretofore the best feeling has existed between the Pueblos and surrounding Mexican towns. Of late too much whisky traffic has been going on, which the U. S. authorities should stop. Governor Sheldon has sent to Taos for the latest information, and news is hourly expected.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Trouble over Bradlaugh.

LONDON, March 6.—In the house of commons this P. M., Northcote moved that the house reaffirm the resolutions of February 7th, that Bradlaugh be not permitted to go through the form of repeating the words of the oath. Majorbanks, liberal, moved an amendment in favor of legislation permitting affirmation. Labouchere moved, on behalf of Bradlaugh, that if Majorbanks' amendment should be carried he (Bradlaugh) would not go up to the table until legislation was effected, provided the delay was only for a reasonable time. Gladstone supported the amendment as the best mode of relieving the house from its increasingly sinful position. Majorbanks' amendment was rejected, 297 against 246. Northcote's motion was carried without division. Majorbanks gave notice that he would ask leave to bring in a bill amending the law relating to the oath.

Skobeloff's Last Speech.

LONDON, March 7.—The German press is indignant at General Skobeloff's speech at Warsaw, in which he flattered the Poles, saying if there was no Russian garrison at Warsaw there would be no German one.

A New Bank to be Formed.

PARIS, March 7.—The *Messager* says the new bank which it it is proposed to form to resuscitate the Union Generale, will have a nominal capital of 50,000,000 francs, and bonds giving the right to share in the profits to be allotted to shareholders and creditors of the Union Generale as partial compensation for their losses.

MEXICO.

Storm in Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO, March 7.—A terrible storm visited this city last night causing great consternation among a crowd at a circus. Within five minutes hail stones tore down the canvas and with it the poles and extinguishing the lights. The scene was frightful, as women screamed and fainted, and panic stricken people scrambled for the exits, wading ankle deep through water. Fortunately the casualties were slight, two men only being sent ously injured by falling poles. Although many were slightly hurt in the confusion.

THE TURF.

Glenluce Wins the Hurdle Race.

LONDON, March 7.—The international hurdle race at Croydon was won by Glenluce, Ancient Pistolseond, Theophrastus third. Eight ran, including Walton's Sutler.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, March 7.

All of the senate reported committees of the Connecticut River Valley and Lake and Ogden Railroad Company, and the Chinese and Japanese immigration bills were made the special order for Tuesday next.

Dawes then took the floor and began a speech against the bill. Dawes went over the familiar grounds of argument in favor of Chinese immigration and claimed that there is at least as much danger to society and the political institutions of this country from the vicious and idle immigrant as from Chinese laborers. The settlement of this question in the manner proposed by this measure he said was a surrender of principle in order to make peace at the behests of the disorderly foreign element of that locality.

Jones, of Nevada, interrupting, begged leave to correct Dawes when he assumed that this opposition to the Chinese arose from the overwhelming pressure of foreign elements there. The elections held in California soon after ratification of the Burlingame treaty, at the time when the state was republican by 20,000 majority, proved conclusively that the people of California were bitterly opposed to the treaty, for the republican candidate for governor, who indorsed the treaty, was defeated by 10,000 votes.

Dawes spoke until 3:45 P. M., and was followed by Edmunds, of Vermont, who defended the principle upon which the bill was based by asserting the right of every nation to exclude non-assimilative and undesirable outsiders.

At the conclusion of Edmunds' remarks Platt, of Connecticut, expressed a desire to make a speech on the bill, but said he was not well enough to speak to-day.

A motion was then made for executive session.

The California senators endeavored to secure an agreement to vote upon the bill at some fixed hour to-morrow, but failing to obtain unanimous consent gave notice that they will ask the senate to sit the bill out to-morrow.

Senate then, at 4:30, went into executive session.

Sherman reported from the finance committee the following original bill: That all certificates of deposit issued under provisions of the act of Feb. 26, 1879, entitled an act to authorize the issue of certificates of deposit in aid of refunding the public debt not presented for conversion into 4 per cent bonds of the acts of July 14, 1870 and January 20, 1871, on or before the first of July next, shall be convertable only into registered bonds of said issues: Provided, however, that the treasurer of the United States may redeem at market rates at any time under such regulations as the secretary of the treasury may prescribe, any outstanding certificates refunding certificates with accrued interest to date presentation of the amount of such redemption to be credited to the sinking fund calendar.

Dawes reported favorably a bill to ratify agreement with Crow Indians for apportionment of the reservation required for use of the Northern Pacific railroad.

George introduced a joint resolution authorizing the secretary of war to use hospital tents to furnish temporary shelter to sufferers by the Mississippi overflow; passed.

Call introduced a resolution asking the president for information whether any representation made by diplomatic representative at Chili that the United States would regard with indifference her consent to dismemberment of Peru by cession of any part of their territory to Chili, under existing circumstances, and whether such statement was made with authority; ordered printed.

House.

House went into committee on the state of the union and Kasson called up the tariff commission bill.

Turner of Kentucky made a speech in denunciation of the present tariff system and as an example of the blessings created by it followed in imagination the day life of a farmer from the hour he put on his flannel shirt taxed 35 per cent, to the moment he covered himself in the evening with a blanket taxed one hundred per cent.; asserting every article he made use of in his agricultural pursuits was heavily taxed for the benefit of manufacturers. He was opposed to a tariff commission, regarding it as merely the continuation of a bad cause. He did not believe congress should delegate its powers. The country had had an electoral commission and was disgusted. At any rate democrats were disgusted. He criticised the rules of the house which put in power a majority of the committee on ways and means to pocket every bill referred to it. The rule that was unanimously concurred in. Medical aid was summoned at once and it was discovered that Mr. Beecher had been weakened by stomach troubles and that his fainting was brought on by the close atmosphere of the crowded hall. He is billed for a lecture at Ottawa to-morrow night and says he will fill the engagement.

Valentine again made his point of order that the bill was entitled to no special privileges, as it was not a bill to raise revenue.

There was a very general discussion of the point whether the bill was or was not a revenue measure, and finally the chair delivered his decision, stating, so far as he could find, that there has been no general ruling on the question. The question which he was called upon to decide was whether the bill was entitled to preference under the rule which gave such preference for raising revenue. That was a bill to instruct a committee to investigate, and this would be noted by the language, as he understood the meaning of bills. For raising revenue, there were bills levying taxes and authorizing duties and imports. The chair therefore sustained the point of order, and ruled that the bill for appointment of a tariff commission had not precedence under the rules to consideration at the present time. Under the decision of the chairman of the committee of the whole, the tariff commission bill must take its regular place on the calendar, where it stands 54 in order.

Among the bills which must be disposed of or laid aside before it is reached, is that providing for permanent construction of levees for the new, and this measure will probably resist any attempt to have it set aside without consideration, and in view of this fact opponents of the tariff bill may demand yeas and nays upon setting aside every bill that precedes it on the calendar. The prospect of early discussion of the measure is not promising. The ways and means committee can devise some way to obviate the necessity of passing over other measures entirely.

The agricultural appropriation bill was taken up. Kasson of Iowa stating that he would when its consideration was completed, unless instructed otherwise by the committee on ways and means, attempt to reach the tariff bill by moving to lay aside every bill before it on the calendar.

Atken of North Carolina after appealing for an appropriation for the encouragement of the silk culture in this country, branched off to a discussion of the question of a tariff advocating revising the customs duties and especially the reduction of the duty upon iron.

Brunnell, of Tennessee, inquired whether the democratic caucus had voted not to change the rules.

Turner replied that he did not understand him, and upon suggestion of Atkins sent to the clerk's desk and had read a resolution adopted by the caucus and published.

The committee then rose and the senate bill passed.

CENTRAL AMERICA.

An Excellent Wood.

PANAMA, Feb. 26.—The American bark Legal Tender is in port with a cargo of redwood lumber from Eureka, Humboldt county, Cal. There is a good demand for redwood timber of all kinds, as it is very durable, does not shrink, and stain, which destroys almost all varieties of pine lumber, do not touch it.

TELEGRAPHIC SPARKS.

The earl of Wilton died in London on the 7th.

Ophir leveled an assessment of $1 per share on Tuesday.

The Austrian minister visited the president yesterday.

Sargan won the sculling match at London by two lengths on Tuesday.

Demand for wool in Philadelphia is improving, but prices are unchanged.

The gas works at Wilkesbarre, Pa., were demolished by an explosion on Tuesday.

Albion mining company levied an assessment of thirty-five cents per share on Tuesday.

Emigration from Germany to America it is said will be larger this year than ever before.

The nomination of Rufus Ingalls to be quartermaster general has been adversely reported.

The grand jury has indicted Special Treasury Agent Curtis for soliciting money for political purposes.

James Murphy, a prisoner in jail at Marquette, Michigan, hanged himself on Monday morning.

A terrific explosion occurred at the works of the American Powder Company at Acton, Mass., on the 7th inst.

An unknown man cut the throat of a woman named Harriet Bell in Boston on Tuesday. The assassin escaped.

T. B. N. Stenhouse, the well known journalist and apostate Mormon, died at San Francisco Tuesday morning.

In a shooting affray at Ackadelphia, Ark., on the 6th inst. one negro was killed and two others wounded.

Benjamin S. Parker of Indiana was nominated by the president as consul at Sherbrooke, Canada, on the 7th inst.

Prince Frederick, county seat of Calvert county, Md., was almost destroyed by fire on the 6th inst. Loss, $50,000.

Dynamite in kits has been found by customs officers at Moscow, the packages containing them having been misbranched.

Bob Sarver, colored, was lynched at Frankfort, Ky., on the 6th inst. for attempting rape on a white girl 16 years old, named Ruby.

Imports into Great Britain during February decreased £,000,000, and imports increased £2,000,000 over the corresponding month of last year.

Friends of Senator Edmunds state he has been offered the vacant judgeship of the supreme court, but will decline if he has not already done so.

Lately advertised to be the Indianapolis (Ind.) *News*, is the fact that Mr Frank Peiton, one of the editors of the *Indiana Farmer* of Indianapolis, strongly indorses St. Jacobs Oil. It cured his wife of a very severe attack of rheumatism, and so quickly.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Judge Blatchford of New York to be Conkling's Successor.

EDMUNDS OFFERED THE PLACE BUT HAS DECLINED.

An Important Decision Regarding the Power of Customs Officers.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Judge Lindsey in his opinion in the sugar case of Walsh & Austen vs. Collector Merritt, of New York, says the test question in the case is whether the withholding quality is to be controlled by their actual color grade by the Dutch standard or by their saccharine strength as ascertained by chemical tests. Defendant in his examinations, the former and plaintiff in error the latter. The test prescribed by the statutes is the Dutch standard of color. It requires clearly the application of a chemical test why did not congress say so? If congress, as it has done, adopted the color standard, it is not for the courts or department to adopt a different one. When congress chooses to do this it will be time enough for the custom house to follow. If the test adopted was to effect the desired object, the incontrovertible loss to the treasury need be only temporary. It can be changed at any moment, and it is better to submit to temporary inconvenience than to set laws afloat by laying down a canon of construction which leaves plain work or seeks to spell out or guess at the supposed intent of a legislature contrary or supplementary to that which is clearly embodied in the words it has used. If experience shows that congress acted under a mistaken impression, that does not authorize the treasury department or courts to take the part of legislative guardians and by construction make new laws which they imagine congress would have made had it been properly informed, but which congress itself upon being properly informed has not seen fit to make. It may be that one tariff of duties is evaded by superintending upon sugars in process of manufacture a low grade of color. If this be so it is no more than every manufacturer does, viz., to so manufacture his goods as to avoid the burden of high duties providing they can do it without injuring their market ability, or injuring it less than the duties involved. So long as no deception is practiced, and so long as goods are truly invoiced and freely and honestly exposed to officers of customs for their examination, no fraud is committed and no penalty incurred. All it has to be done is to charge the law so as to reach goods in their true form, if it is thought desirable to do so. The decision of the court below was right, and its judgment is affirmed. Justices Matthews and Harlan dissenting on the ground that a color imparted to sugar artificially, either during process of manufacture or after its completion, is a color which it would not contract by means of any of the processes necessary merely to production of the sugar. It is not its natural and not the real and true color of the Dutch standard.

Discussion of the Chinese Bill.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Discussion of the Chinese bill in the senate was unexpectedly prolonged this afternoon and attention upon it prevented by the delivery of two lengthy speeches by Call of Florida and Brown of Georgia, neither of whom had previously intimated any intention to enlighten the senate on this question, but whose example now seems likely to be followed by a number of other senators, with the result of rendering it somewhat doubtful whether a final vote will be reached before Wednesday. Call is a very rambling speaker and it was difficult to determine to-day what position he would ultimately assume, but as nearly as he could be understood he is willing to vote for the bill because none of the states demand Chinese immigration, but at the same time he thinks some of its provisions, such as those which authorize customs officers to summarily remove Chinese from their districts if not in possession of proper certificates are unconstitutional and should therefore be amended so as to provide for legal proceedings. Brown's speech was a well-framed, adroit and plausible presentation of the views already upon which, following as they do the opposition to the bill will rashly rest. They are fairly indicated in the report, published elsewhere, and they will doubtless be reiterated by other senators on the same side of the question to-morrow. He openly maintained that Clay and diplomats were too shrewd for our commissioners and that as we had allowed them to get the best of us in pursuing the treaty we can now do nothing effectual until we obtain its modification unless we abruptly abrogate it and thus endanger our commercial interests with China, or perhaps bring on a war. Brown gave a glimpse of an actuating motive for his opposition by remarking that Georgia manufacturers of cotton goods, although as yet unable to compete with New England in home markets, have found a profitable market for their special products in China, and they were not inclined to risk discouragement of their profitable business in this direction. Brown also, toward the close of his speech, made a remark about missionary work done among the Chinese in this country by the Baptist denomination, of which he is a prominent member.

Teller, of Colorado, who subsequently made a spirited and humorous speech in support of the bill, replied to this remark incidentally and very effectively by calling attention to the microscopic smallness of the results of missionary labor among the Chinese in this country, and by remarking, "Let the senator from Georgia send the gospel to the Chinese, not bring them to it." Teller's brief speech elicited considerable applause from the galleries, and was one of the most refreshing features of the debate.

Slater's remarks, though largely devoted to criticism of details of the treaty, were earnest in support of the necessity for passing this bill as a measure of at least partial relief.

Dawes will speak to-morrow. It is understood that he will reply especially to a portion of George's speech to-day concerning the Massachusetts sentiment in regard to the colored race.

Pacific coast senators will endeavor to bring the bill to a point of final action before adjournment to-morrow afternoon, but it no longer appears safe to hazard a prediction as to the time when the senate will consent to abstain from additional discussion.

The Democratic Plan of Action.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—House democrats this afternoon caucused upon a policy to be pursued by democrats relative to the proposed changes in rules. Kenna offered the following

Resolved, In the judgment of this caucus, amendments to the rules of the house of representatives approved by the majority of the committee on rules are destructive of those just rights and necessary privileges of the minority, which the democratic majority in former congresses never denied republican minorities, and that we will resist their adoption by every parliamentary method at our command.

Resolved further, That we will cheerfully support any amendment to the rules of the house which will tend to promote their improvement in properly facilitating public business, and are not destructive of the rights of the minority and of the people they represent.

After brief discussion the resolutions were unanimously adopted, and caucus adjourned subject to call of the chairman.

The Anti-Chinese Demonstrations.

In the senate to-day the Chinese bill was again taken up, and Miller, of California, called attention to the recent popular demonstrations in California and Nevada in behalf of the bill. He forwarded to the clerk and had read dispatches from mass meetings, the first he said, ever held in California, at San Francisco, Stockton, Los Angeles, Santa Cruz, Nevada City, Sonora and various other points, reciting their proceedings and the resolutions they adopted in advocacy of the bill. Farley said he had also received a number of dispatches of similar import from meetings at Sacramento, Oakland and elsewhere. Earl had read a dispatch from the governor of Nevada dated March 6th, stating that mass meetings for restriction then in progress in all prominent towns in the state were unanimously in favor of the bill.

A Profitless Investigation.

Some time ago District Attorney Corkhill, at request of the managers of the Western Union Telegraph office, commenced investigation as to how the dispatch sent by Whitelaw Reid of the *Tribune* to Col. James Hay in March last became public. Corkhill employed a late investigation, and in a letter embodying the results, says the facts presented are not sufficient to justify me in giving any very definite opinion in the matter. The copy was certainly procured merely by purloining of faith on the part of some one entrusted with the message, or else stolen from the wires, but I am find nothing in the transaction which would subject parties to punishment under the criminal laws of the district.

Committee Matters.

The house committee on foreign affairs has begun investigation, under the Kasson resolution, of the alleged obstruction of state papers from the files of the state department. The only witnesses examined were S. W. Brown, chief clerk, and Harwell, chief of the bureau of records and archives, and the only information elicited was that the papers were received and filed in the usual manner, and were not abstracted while under the control of the department, which it was discovered that they had in some way disappeared from the files. The committee will continue the investigation Friday or Saturday.

Conkling's Possible Successor.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says on Conkling's declining etc. Another nomination will probably be sent to the senate to-morrow. It can be stated positively that Blatchford would not be appointed. It is the universal belief of the president and cabinet that Judge Blatchford will be chosen.

The Supreme Judgeship.

A press reporter has learned positively that the supreme judgeship was tendered Senator Edmunds, and declined. A prominent senator says Edmunds would have accepted if any statement had been made to him first. It is now thought Judge Blatchford, of New York, will be appointed.

Justice Miller Ill.

Justice Miller, of the supreme court, is ill again, and is suffering from a severe attack of stomach trouble that will confine him to the house for a week or two.

J. W. Stone, recently down from Stonemine pass, says the snow on the mountains was eighteen feet deep when he left the summit. It has fallen at a rate of two feet, and no positive avalanche occurred in large quantities will be heard there. He will return with provisions the first of the present month.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

The Dead Alive.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 7.—Dr. Hugh Glenn, elected on the 28th of February to the state senate from the district composed of Colusa, Glenn and Tehama counties, who was reported dead, is not dead, but is alive and well. He was reported dead on the 28th, when he was elected, and was also reported dead on the 1st inst., when he took his seat. He is now in this city, and will be in Sacramento to-morrow. He has been sick for two months, but is now convalescent.

Guilty of Perjury.

Yesterday in department 11 of the superior court, the jury in the case of Patrick Barry, one of the witnesses for Isaiah Best in his fight for selling Charles DeYoung, rendered a verdict of guilty of perjury, brought in a verdict of guilty. The prisoner was remanded until the 11th inst. for sentence.

Criminals Arrested.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 7.—Chas. W. Frank was arrested to-day for embezzlement, while a bank clerk at Confidence, Montana.

Kennedy, supreme secretary of the order of Chosen Friends, residing in Hillsboro, was arrested on charges of libel preferred by officers of the seceding branch of the order in this state, based on publications in his paper, the *Banner of Chosen Friends*. It is said Kennedy was not a party to the publication of the article, and that the arrests are with a view of influencing civil suits brought by him here against officers of the seceding branch of the society.

Opposition Filed.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 7.—Chas. H. Ohm has filed opposition to the account of J. C. Flood and J. V. Coleman as executors of the estate of W. S. O'Brien. Plaintiff is a stockholder of the San Virginia and California mining companies. The opposition recites objections to the account as not giving a full statement of the affairs of the estate.

Run Over and Killed.

Dominic Harper, aged about ten years, was run over late this afternoon by a dummy of the Union street cable road, dying soon after from injuries.

Arrested for Incest.

WOODLAND, March 7.—H. A. Patterson, a German farmer, has been arrested on charges of incest and murder. His sister Lena, partner in his guilt, was also arrested. Lena gave birth to a child a short time since, the murder of which both are charged. They deny their guilt, claiming the child died a natural death, and was buried privately to avoid scandal.

Sentenced for Life.

STOCKTON, March 7.—Yesterday in Sutcra Frank Gilkey, one of the young men tried for the murder of Billy Berglee, was found guilty and sentenced to the penitentiary for life. His father, almost frantic with grief, drew his revolver and made a rush upon his son with the intention of killing him and afterwards committing suicide; but Deputy Sheriff McQuad caught hold of him and succeeded in preventing him carrying out his purpose. It took several men to disarm him, and it was only accomplished after a most desperate struggle.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

Seattle Notes.

SEATTLE, March 7.—S. F. Andrews, a well known ex-merchant of this place and a Mason of 32d degree, died suddenly at his home in this city last night of heart disease.

E. G. Ingalls, formerly of Kalama and New Tacoma, but more recently keeping store and hotel at the Carbonado coal mines, died suddenly to-day of consumption at Carbonado.

Ed. Abbott, for stealing two registered letters from the mail room on the steamer Idaho, has been arrested here by Sheriff McGraw, and sent to Port Townsend for trial at the term of court now pending there. Abbott is a young fellow but little more than a boy. He has confessed the crime.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Victoria Notes.

VICTORIA, March 6.—Resolutions and addresses to the queen on her majesty's escape from the assassin's bullet were passed by the house and at a public meeting held to-night.

The committee on the city dock rescind is sitting daily. The house has adjourned for a week awaiting their report.

Private advices from Ottawa state that a syndicate of Californians has arranged with the Canadian government to build the Nanaimo railway.

A POINT FOR EADS.

The Tehuantepec Ship Railway Bill Reported Favorably by the Senate Committee.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.

WASHINGTON, March 7.

Mr. Voorhees, from the committee on commerce, today reported to the senate a bill to incorporate an interoceanic ship railroad company, generally known as the Eads' bill, which was accompanied by a report from the committee recommending its passage. The committee state in their report that the first question considered by them was the practicability of constructing a railway for the purpose of transporting ships and their cargoes. Upon this point the committee refer to the testimony and letters and endorsement accompanying the report by a number of gentlemen whom they characterize as the most prominent, able engineers and naval architects in the world. Included in the testimony referred to, as a demonstration of the practicability of the ship railway, is the evidence of Sir Edward Reed Tate, chief of construction of the British navy, who appeared before the committee and gave the benefit of his views, and letters written by Nathaniel Barnaby, present chief constructor of the British navy; George T. Forsberg Lyster, engineer in charge of the Liverpool docks, Capt. Edward Hart, U. S. N., Constructor General Q. A. Gilmore, United States engineers, Gen. Beauregard and H. D. Whitcomb, civil engineer in charge of works for the improvement of the James river.

Testimony upon this subject, the report says, is so overwhelming and conclusive that the committee had no hesitation in reporting the construction of the ship railway and its successful operation are entirely practicable; but even if there were doubts as to its practicability, the government of the United States could with perfect safety to itself, the report says, pass the bill desired by Capt. Eads, because upon no contingency, and that we will resist their adoption by every parliamentary method at our command.

Resolved further, That we will cheerfully support any amendment to the rules of the house which will tend to promote their improvement in properly facilitating public business, and are not destructive of the rights of the minority and of the people they represent.

After brief discussion the resolutions were unanimously adopted, and caucus adjourned subject to call of the chairman.

The Anti-Chinese Demonstrations.

In the senate to-day the Chinese bill was again taken up, and Miller, of California, called attention to the recent popular demonstrations in California and Nevada in behalf of the bill. He forwarded to the clerk and had read dispatches from mass meetings, the first he said, ever held in California, at San Francisco, Stockton, Los Angeles, Santa Cruz, Nevada City, Sonora and various other points, reciting their proceedings and the resolutions they adopted in advocacy of the bill. Farley said he had also received a number of dispatches of similar import from meetings at Sacramento, Oakland and elsewhere. Earl had read a dispatch from the governor of Nevada dated March 6th, stating that mass meetings for restriction then in progress in all prominent towns in the state were unanimously in favor of the bill.

A Profitless Investigation.

Some time ago District Attorney Corkhill, at request of the managers of the Western Union Telegraph office, commenced investigation as to how the dispatch sent by Whitelaw Reid of the *Tribune* to Col. James Hay in March last became public. Corkhill employed a late investigation, and in a letter embodying the results, says the facts presented are not sufficient to justify me in giving any very definite opinion in the matter. The copy was certainly procured merely by purloining of faith on the part of some one entrusted with the message, or else stolen from the wires, but I am find nothing in the transaction which would subject parties to punishment under the criminal laws of the district.

Committee Matters.

The house committee on foreign affairs has begun investigation, under the Kasson resolution, of the alleged obstruction of state papers from the files of the state department. The only witnesses examined were S. W. Brown, chief clerk, and Harwell, chief of the bureau of records and archives, and the only information elicited was that the papers were received and filed in the usual manner, and were not abstracted while under the control of the department, which it was discovered that they had in some way disappeared from the files. The committee will continue the investigation Friday or Saturday.

Conkling's Possible Successor.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says on Conkling's declining etc. Another nomination will probably be sent to the senate to-morrow. It can be stated positively that Blatchford would not be appointed. It is the universal belief of the president and cabinet that Judge Blatchford will be chosen.

The Supreme Judgeship.

A press reporter has learned positively that the supreme judgeship was tendered Senator Edmunds, and declined. A prominent senator says Edmunds would have accepted if any statement had been made to him first. It is now thought Judge Blatchford, of New York, will be appointed.

Justice Miller Ill.

Justice Miller, of the supreme court, is ill again, and is suffering from a severe attack of stomach trouble that will confine him to the house for a week or two.

J. W. Stone, recently down from Stonemine pass, says the snow on the mountains was eighteen feet deep when he left the summit. It has fallen at a rate of two feet, and no positive avalanche occurred in large quantities will be heard there. He will return with provisions the first of the present month.

ALASKAN NEWS.

Anticipated Trouble with the Indians—Evasion of the Revenue Laws—Mining Notes, Etc.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.

PORT TOWNSEND, March 7.—The U. S. revenue cutter Wolcott, Captain Stoddler, arrived yesterday from Alaska, bringing two prisoners, who will be taken to Portland for trial, and the following news:

Upon recommendation of the collector, the department modified the rule concerning alcohol shipments to Alaska. It can now be imported for medicinal purposes, in quantities not exceeding three gallons, upon the written permit of the collector at Sitka.

Col. W. K. Ish, one of the owners of the Karta bay copper mine, died last month at Tongas narrows.

The commission of Mrs. Ella Brow, as postmistress at Sitka, has been received, and the office is now running smoothly. For several months the office had been vacant, hence some irregularities happened.

A case of witchcraft was investigated by the collector on February 13th. As a large number of Indians were employed and appeared uneasy, at the request of the collector Captain Stoddler, of the Wolcott, landed an armed force, which took up quarters at the custom house. This demonstration had the desired effect, and the trial ended without disturbance.

Rumor having reached Sitka that the Indians at Juneau were showing signs of disaffection, by invitation of Captain Stoddler, Collector Morris repaired on board the Wolcott on February 19th and proceeded to Juneau to make investigation. The reports were, as usual, greatly exaggerated. The trouble grew out of hoochinoo and a squaw, and was confined to some wandering Hoonahs, which was promptly quited by miners. The Auks, the resident tribe at Juneau, are friendly and assisted the whites in preserving order.

Miners there have formed a military organization, about half of them are armed. They number 150 brave, able-bodied men and are capable of taking taking care of themselves if properly armed They have made a requisition upon the secretary of war for a number of arms by breech-loading rifles.

On the 13th of February an alarm of fire was given from the castle. Capt. Stoddler promptly landed a force of men, but it proved to be only a chimney on fire. Unless the government provides suitable fire apparatus, it is only a question of time when all the frame buildings will be burned here, judging from the past.

The Indians have behaved remarkably well since the departure of the Wachusetts and the advent of the Wolcott, in the latter vessel, during the time he committed some depredations had she been longer in making her appearance.

N. A. Fuller has driven in a tunnel near Juneau about 80 feet and will make it 100 before beginning to drift. The ore promises well and he feels amply repaid for his outlay.

Sitka Jack, a celebrated Indian chief and friend of the whites, is reported drowned near Chilcat, a portion of his canoe being recovered and he missing for two months.

The collector has recently made some seizures of whisky in kegs shipped in Milwaukee beer cases. A prominent liquor dealing and jobbing liquor house in Portland is seriously implicated. The evidence is direct and the case has been reported to Washington for instructions.

A national salute was fired at meridian from the Wolcott on the 22d of February. The ship was gaily dressed, and all flags of the shipping in the harbor were displayed.

The Wolcott has been exercising her crew in shell practice, which had an edifying effect upon the natives.

Two large quartz mills are being constructed at San Francisco for the Takou mines.

The department has changed the name of the post-office at Harrisburg to Juneau.

The Wolcott left Sitka on the 28th of February at 4 P. M.

SOUTH AMERICA.

An Amicable Settlement Arrived at.

PANAMA, Feb. 26.—Lima dates by yesterday's steamer to the 14th inst. Admiral Lynch and party are to the 16th inst. Novoa, Chilian commissioner in Lima, had received an official telegram from Santiago announcing the close of the conference between Trescott and Salmorcha, Chilian minister of foreign affairs. An amicable and apparently agreeable understanding was arrived at, and the two gentlemen drew up a protocol to be submitted to the Peruvian government for use as a basis for a treaty between Peru and Chili. The latter country recognizes the Chilian claim to cession of Tarapaca, but leaves the subject of indemnity in a measure, or at least does not stipulate for an immediate or early settlement. Trescott has nearly always allowed him in which to submit it to some competent government in Peru. If by that time he has not secured its signature by a government in Peru, Chili will probably fortify and, if protocol becomes null and void. Bolivia is said to be waiting the moment when Peru evacuates Tacna and Arica, to take possession of that valuable department. All the correspondents speak highly of Americans in connection with the Cochet and Landreau claims against the Peruvian government were found among the archives of the palace. They will be published.

Peruvians Defeated.

Chilian troops defeated Peruvians at Pierra, killed their chief of staff, Col. Tafier, lieutenant colonel, several other officers and 87 soldiers. The Chilians had one officer and 16 men killed.

YAMHILL COUNTY NEWS.

[REGULAR CORRESPONDENCE OF THE OREGONIAN.]

LAFAYETTE, March 6.

Weather beautiful.

The democratic county county convention will be held here on the 25th inst.

Circuit court convenes on March 27th.

Already some of our citizens are preparing ground for early spring garden s.

The evangelists are yed here and opened their meetings on last Fr day. They are preaching to crowded houses. Up to the present, however, they have made but few converts.

At the school election to-day Hon. A. R. Burbank was elected director and W. L. Bradshaw clerk. A tax of $500 was levied for the purpo e of repairing and repainting the school building. It is a much needed improvement and will be hailed with delight by all the children of this district.

A crowded house greeted the Choral Society at their second concert, given last Thursday evening. Quite a number were here from Dayton and McMinnville. The singing throughout was unusually good. Deserving of special mention were the solos, "Who's at my Window?" by Miss Millie Herris; "The Bridge," by Miss Alice Whitlow; "The Clouds are Dark-ning," Northern Skies," by Mr. T. C. Stephens, and "The Soldiers' Chorus," (quintette) by Messrs. Levinson, Stephens, Whitlow, Johnson and Winter.

MINING NOTES.

Jacksonville Times.

The miners have plenty of water at last and are happy.

The miners of Gallie creek are all at work and a big stretch is expected from that camp this season.

The Rose Lake Co's ditches are being cleaned and repaired. Pipeing will be commenced soon.

Pipeing is now progressing in earnest at the Forty-nine diggings near Phoenix, which are owned by E. A. Anderson.

Gin Lin has about 20 Celestials employed in digging a ditch from Palmer creek to the red hills, several miles distant.

Miners are running on full time in Willow

The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, MARCH 8, 1882.

IGNORANT AND FALSE.

In "Two Years in Oregon," just published, Mr. Wallis Nash has attempted to say a great deal about a subject of which he knows very little. The book is an account of his doings, observations and conclusions during two years' residence here, and assumes to be accurate and practical. It is neither. Mr. Nash has seen which the eyes of a foreigner to whom everything seems queer, and has criticised freely without taste and without judgement. Having, in fact, passed over but a small part of Oregon, comparatively, he writes of it *all*, and with the assumption and authority of personal knowledge. He assumes to speak knowingly and practically of farming, when his own repeated efforts have been managed with ignorance, and in every instance ended by failure. As an instance, he gives on page 45 an analysis of the profits to be made by farming, forgetting the cost and value of stock, putting the product of wheat (as an average figure) at 26 bushel per acre, and its market price at 90 cents per bushel. In a subsequent chapter, in estimating the expense of putting in a crop, he puts the cost of seed wheat at 70 cents; and on the following page the price of the crop to be raised is put at 85 cents. He treats of the profits of land clearing with gross misrepresentation of facts of which he cannot be ignorant. Pages 113-117, inclusive, consist of a tirade against the people who wish to see the Cascade military road contract properly carried out. The motive for this is that parties are making this grant—obtained according to the sworn statements of government inspectors, by falsehood and fraud—the basis of a credit to be used as the basis of another and a greater fraud. But the most gross trait of the book is its misrepresentation of Portland and the Columbia river. Of Portland he says: "To one who has seen real cities, it is but a little place; but some of its twenty-one or twenty-two thousand inhabitants raise claims to greatness and even supremacy that, make it difficult to suppress a smile. In thirty-five years the place has grown from a collection of log huts, set down as if by chance, to its present dimensions, and, no doubt, could go on growing as fast as Oregon developed, could the same conditions last. The city consists of half a dozen streets running parralel with the Willamette, and nine or ten at right angles. Front street and First street contain some brick buildings, remarkable for so very young a place; the former backs on the Willamette, and on it front the warehouses and wharves, against the backs of which the ships are moored; the latter contains nearly all the city's stores and shops of any consequence." And this pretends to be a truthful description of Portland, which in another place is spoken of as a "Tom Tiddler's ground of a city," and so on through the book. St. Vincent's hospital—founded by Catholics and conducted by sisters of charity—is set down as having been founded by Bishop Morris, and other statements are of the same character. Mr. Nash quotes from the *Astorian* and THE OREGONIAN paragraphs about the bar and the Columbia and Willamette rivers, wrenching them from their context, so that their apparent meaning is utterly false. Yaquina bay is landed to a point as far above its deserts as Portland and the lower rivers are degraded below theirs, and the book closes with a "puff" for the Oregon Pacific railroad bubble. The book is utterly unreliable. Its literary defects—it abounds in them—are gratifying in that they expose the shallowness of the writer, and discredit his statements.

UNWISE ECONOMY.

Motives of economy affect us ingressions very strangely at times. A fierce spurt of frugality will attack them which threatens to lop off needless expenses right and left, but when the spasm has spent its force it is generally found that some worthy object has suffered. The latest attack of this sort manifested itself in reduction of the appropriation for printing the monthly consular reports to one-third the amount heretofore allowed for that purpose. Now, if there is one production of the government printing office which is worthy the money expended in its publication, it is this. The reports are eagerly read by merchants, shippers and every one interested in the growth of our foreign commerce. A mass of information is contained in each number which can be found nowhere else, while many of the articles are of great interest to the general reader. Above all other considerations, however, is the benefit resulting from their publication to the commercial relations of the United States. The trade of this country with every section of the globe where we have a representative is increased by knowledge of what those people want of our productions and what we need of theirs. The habits, laws and tariff regulations of the inhabitants of every consular station in world may be learned from their pages, thereby giving every shipper or exporter the benefit of that knowledge only to be obtained by personal contact with those people. There are many other publications issued by the government which could be discontinued altogether without loss to the public, but to apply the pruning knife to this appropriation is certainly an exhibition of unwise economy.

General Skobeleff has the faculty of arousing a breeze in Europe whenever he opens his mouth. The storm of indignation over his speech to the students at Paris has hardly subsided when news comes of another one delivered at Warsaw yesterday, in which he said that Russia would station no army of her own at that city, nor would she allow Germany to plant one there. It is evident that Russia is ready to settle old scores with the Teutons, and General Skobeleff's firebrands are certain to land a spark in the continental powder magazine sooner or later.

MARRIED.

In this city, March 6th, by Rev. J. L. Daly, Fred A. Daly and Ellen A. Richards.

DIED.

In this city, March 5, 1882, Joseph, son of Reuben and Vina Crawford, aged 10 years and 13 days.

In East Portland, March 7th, at 3:45 P. M., Litton Bichiel, only child of Norwood L. and Lillie L. Curry, aged 10 months and 10 days.

Funeral this (Wednesday) afternoon at 2 o'clock. Funeral private.

In Orange, N. J., on Feb. 26th, Samuel G. French, aged 47 years, for many years a resident of The Cove, Union county, Oregon.

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SHIPS' NOTICES.

FOR BARK "LARGO BAY," CAPTAIN COUSIN, from Wilmington, Cala. Neither the master nor the undersigned consignees of the above named vessel will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew. m7dlt HENRY HEWETT, Consignee.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SCHOOL CLERK.

THE FRIENDS OF WM. CHURCH, JR., HEREby announce him as a candidate for School Clerk for District No. 1. m12dw

ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

THE LEGAL VOTERS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 1, Multnomah county, State of Oregon, are hereby notified that the annual election for said district will be held at 105 Morrison street, in said district, on Monday, March 13, 1882, for the purpose of electing one Director to serve three years, and a Clerk to serve one year. Polls to be open from 2 to 6 o'clock P. M.

D. W. WILLIAMS,
Clerk of School District No. 1, Multnomah county, Or.
Portland, March 7, 1882. m7

NOTICE TO PLUMBERS & GASFITTERS.

BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO 12 O'CLOCK M., March 13, 1882, by the Board of Commissioners for the erection of an Insane Asylum Building, for heating and putting in gas pipes in the Oregon Insane Asylum Building at Salem, Oregon. The Board will furnish all material. Contractors to perform all labor. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of W. F. Boothby, Supt's, Salem. Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids. By order of the Board. T. F. BITTES, Clerk of the Board. Salem, March 13, 1882. m6to12

THIS IS TO NOTIFY ALL PERSONS THAT we are the only persons authorized by law to make, publish or sell Alexander Hotel Registers in the State of Oregon and Washington territory, and the laws of Oregon and Washington territory, and persons purchasing or using the same without our permission in the above named State and Territories will, if necessary, be prosecuted for violation of our right in the premises. D. HICKS & CO., 108 Montgomery street, S. F. m4 9tf

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between the undersigned, in keeping their saloon in the city of Portland, Oregon, known as the "Franklin Exchange" and "U. S. Beer Hall," is this day dissolved by mutual consent, S. Stein retiring from the firm and Herman Schmidt assuming all liabilities and agreeing to pay all debts thereof.

HERMAN SCHMIDT.
S. STEIN.

Portland, March 6, 1882. m7d2t

NOTICE—ASSESSMENT NO. 2.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ASsessment of five (5) per cent. has been levied on the capital stock of the Oregon Chinaman and Silver Mining Co., payable to the Secretary at the office of the Company, No. 62 Front street, on the 20th day of March, A. D. 1882. F. K. ARNOLD,
Secretary of the Oregon C. & S. M. Co.
Portland, Oregon, March 4, 1882. m7d10t

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' ANNUAL MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ANnual meeting of the stockholders of the Oregon and California Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company, corner of Front and Ferry sts., in the city of Portland, in the State of Oregon, on Tuesday, the eleventh day of April, A. D. 1882, at the hour of eleven o'clock A. M. of said day, for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. A. G. CUNNINGHAM,
Secretary O. & C. R. R. Co.
Portland, Oregon, March 6th, 1882. m7to11a1w

IRVING'S ADDITION.

That handsome piece of land known as the Irving tract, lying on the river between the Railroad and Albina Ferries, is being surveyed into lots and blocks, and is offered for sale on very easy terms. Being immediately adjoining East Portland and opposite the heavy business portion of the city of Portland, it offers, with the easy terms on which lots can be secured, a equaled inducements to persons desirous of securing a home. We have also for sale, at this same property, three pieces of water front; one of 2.35, one of 200 feet, and another of 300 feet, on easy terms. We have also a few more low-priced lots in Wilson's Addition, Portland, for sale on the installment plan.

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SPECIAL AUCTION SALE

OF

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ETC., ETC., ETC.

AT RESIDENCE.

We are instructed to sell by auction at the residence,

No. 181 Yamhill St., Corner East Park,

ON

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 1882,

Commencing at 10 A. M.,

The entire fine Brussels Carpets, three-ply Carpets, splendid solid oak and walnut bedroom suits, fine Eastlake Bedroom Suits complete, Fine Spring Mattresses, Wool Mattresses, Feather Pillows, Blankets, Bedding, Sewing Machine, Curtains, Lace, Toilet Suits, Mirrors, etc.

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We are instructed to dispose of, by auction, on the premises, No. 291 Fourth St., S. W. corner of Jefferson and Fourth,

ON MONDAY, MARCH 13th,

At 10 o'clock A. M.

The Fine Carpets and Furniture of Residence,

Comprising—

PARLOR FURNITURE:

193 yards Fine Brussels Carpets;
1 Very Fine Parlor Suit, 7 pieces, finely upholstered;
Easy Chairs, Lamps, Rugs, Pictures, Bracket.

ALSO

1 Elegant Solid Walnut Bedroom Suit, full marble top;
1 Fine Walnut Bedroom Suit, full marble top;
1 Fine Walnut Bedstead;
1 Fine Walnut Child's Bedstead;
Mirrors, Washstands, Chamber Crockery, Walnut Center Table, Fine Spring Mattresses, Heating Stoves, complete; Lounges;
50 yards Brussels Carpet; Hall Chandelier;
Brussels Stair Carpet and Rods, Hall Carpets;
Fine Walnut and Marble Hat Stand;
Fine Walnut Extension Table, Dining Chairs, Spoons, Knives and Forks, Crockery.

ALSO

Kitchen Furniture, complete, and Garden Hose.

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At 10 o'clock A. M.

The Entire Furniture of Seven Rooms,

Consisting in part of

Brussels and Three-Ply Carpets,
1 Upholstered Parlor Set, Bedroom Sets,
Oil Paintings, Cooking and Heating Stoves, Chairs, Tables, Bedding of all kinds, Pillows, Lace Curtains, Crockery, Glassware, etc., etc.

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Next Door to National Bank.

Having been advised by our Eastern buyer that a large invoice of Spring Goods are on their way from New York, and wishing to make room for the reception of the same, we will sell, for the next ten days, for cash, at cost—

A Large Line of Dress Goods at Cost;
A Large Line of Silks and Satins at Cost;
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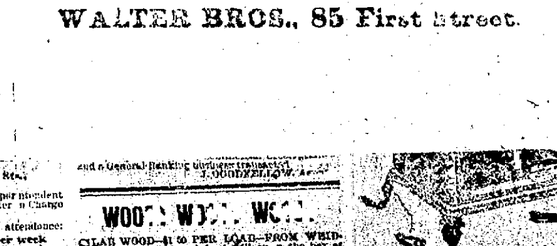

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Takes pleasure in announcing to the Ladies of Portland and vicinity that she has returned from San Francisco and Sacramento with her

The Very Latest Spring Styles and the Most Magnificent Stock of Imported SUITS and DOLMANS ever opened in Portland.

Also, complete stock of Spring Dress Goods and Trimmings to Match, in All the New Shades, which we are receiving by every steamer.

MRS. L. PILGER, the Leading Suit and Cloak House, 153 First St., near Morrison.

TO THE LADIES

Of Portland and Interior.

On or about the 20th of March I shall have the Grandest Display in my corner Windows ever noted on the coast. It will be silk lined, corner from the exhibit of last fall, which earned for my establishment the deserved name of The Only Exclusive Ladies' Suit House on the Coast. MRS. LITT will take full charge in Dressmaking. Address orders,

H. B. LITT,
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CITY.

GUILTY OF MURDER.—Kadachi, the Indian brought here from Alaska not long since, charged with murdering two miners, was on trial in the United States circuit court yesterday. Following is a list of jurymen in the case. George Stocton, William Glass, Thomas J. Blair, E. H. Bellinger, H. F. Kentenmyer, William Percival, Jackson Hoover, W. H. Pope, E. S. Hyland, W. J. Humphrey and W. T. L. m. Several witnesses who knew the accused, were subpœned, and brought from Alaska. The trial continued through the entire day, up to 5 o'clock, when the jury were charged. They retired, out but a short time, and returned a verdict of guilty as charged in the indictment.

FINED FOR FIGHTING.—Charles Turk was yesterday on trial in Justice Davis' court, charged with assault and battery upon an old man named O'Neal. He had had several number of friends with him to swear that what he did was in self-protection. When on the stand Turk stated that the old gentleman had struck him first, and it was a case of "chump" up to "trumped," and that he chose the former mode of action. However, the judge did not see it in that light, and in a tone sounding remarkably metallic to Turk, said he thought him guilty and would fine him $50. Turk then replied, "I'll appeal the case, and don't you forget it."

REPORTED OPPOSITION STEAMSHIP.—A dispatch to THE OREGONIAN from San Francisco last night says: It is currently reported that the ownership of the steam propellor William Taber has been transferred from J. T. Wright to Nicholas Luning. The vessel was built in Baltimore in 1857, and has a registered tonnage of nearly 2000. The engines have a capacity of 1500 horse power. She will be run by Mr. Luning on the route between this city and Portland, in opposition to the line of steamships owned and operated by Henry Villard and for which Goodall, Perkins & Co. are agents.

ANGIUS SENTENCED.—August Angius, who was convicted in the State circuit court of assault with a deadly weapon, made upon Nicolas Arat, was yesterday sentenced to three years in the state penitentiary. The motion for a new trial made by Angius counsel was denied by Judge Stott. Angius will be taken to Salem to-morrow.

UNFORTUNATE ACCIDENT.—Yesterday morning E. B. Gardener, a farmer living a few miles from the city on the Willamette river, had his right eye completely destroyed by a chip from the head of a nail which he was driving, cutting into it. Gardner came to this city where Dr. Eston attended him.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.—Henry Mace was last night arrested, on a charge of assault and battery made upon Stephen Randall. Randall stated that Mace had beaten him because he testified against Charley Turk in a Justice court to-day. Mace furnished $25 for his appearance in court to-day.

ARRAIGNED.—Jacob Webber, who was indicted by the grand jury of the United States circuit court for selling beer in kegs without stamps on them, was yesterday arraigned and entered a plea of not guilty. He will be tried during this term of court.

KELLER'S DOG.—In the case of Holland against councilman J. S. Keller, in which Holland brings suit to recover damages for injury done his daughter by a vicious dog owned by the defendant, Keller was given until April 1st in which to answer.

FOUND GUILTY.—J. P. Kennard was yesterday tried in Justice Davis' court on a charge of larceny, made by George Reed, found guilty and fined $100. The fine was not paid, in consequence of which he was lodged in the county jail.

OUR NEW DISTRICT ATTORNEY.—Hon. J. F. Watson, who received the appointment of United States district attorney, vice Hon. Rufus Mallory, yesterday morning took the oath of office, and will begin his duties to-day.

THE STEAMERS.—The Oregon arrived in Astoria at 1:30 yesterday afternoon, left at five and arrived here shortly after one. The Columbia arrived down at 12:30 and crossed out half an hour later.

AT OREGON CITY.—The Rt. Rev. Bishop Morris will hold service in St. Paul's church, Oregon City, this (Wednesday) evening at 7 o'clock.

MAIL CONTRACTS.—On the fourth page of to-day's OREGONIAN will be found a list of mail contracts for Oregon, recently let in Washington.

THE TRAGEDY ENDED.

Annie Murray, who shot and killed Henry Prang, died at St. Vincent's hospital yesterday evening at ten minutes to 6. She suffered intensely during the morning, but toward evening became easier and it was thought better. Consciousness remained to the last, and this, persisted in her statement that Prang fired the first shot, until life left her. Her mother and brother attended her bedside.

THE COURTS.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY, J.

TUESDAY, March 7.

J. F. Watson admitted to practice in this court. Commission of J. F. Watson as U. S. Attorney for the District of Oregon, presented by Mr. Rufus Mallory, and ordered to be entered in the journal.

Trial jurors present and answer to their names.

The following jurors were excused—John H. Moore, Frank Hackney, John W. Gilbert, John McCracken, H. W. Lamson, Wm. Kane, Lorkin Price and O. H. Lewis.

U. S. vs. Ka-is-lah.—The following jury empanneled: Geo. Stevens, Mr. Glass, John Huston, Thos. J. Blair, E. N. Bellenger, H. F. Kuetzmyer, Wm. Percival, Jackson Hoover, W. H. Pope, D. S. Hyland, W. J. Humphrey and W. F. Lum.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J.

Commission of Mr. J. F. Watson as U. S. Attorney for the District of Oregon, presented by Mr. Rufus Mallory, and ordered to be entered in the journal.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—STOTT, J.

State of Oregon vs. N. Angius—sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

Holland vs. Keller—motion to strike out overruled. Time of April to answer.

Joyce vs. Joyce—conferred to Seneca Smith.

M. M. Taylor vs. M. M. Taylor—same.

Obee Bros. vs. Ridnecke—default and judgment.

Corbett & McCoy vs. J. Wagner—default and judgment.

Grand jury present indictments.

Grand jury discharged.

Wagenblast vs. G. W. Rose, et. al., publication of summons ordered.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

Gilbert & Co., sale at 10 A. M., at residence No. 181 Yamhill street, a fine assortment of household furniture, as good as new.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

L. Harmon, 173 First street, offers his entire stock for the next ten days at cost.

Elegant gold frames for portrait and landscape painting at Shanahan's Art Gallery.

Have your clothes cleaned and dyed at the American steam dyeing and cleaning works, 10 Salmon St.

New goods in new patterns on the steamer for G. Nitinger. Bring your order and examine his stock.

Columbia Coffee House, 85 Second street, just opened; everything new; coffee the best. B. Wolff.

Oscar Wilde, the esthetic youth, is coming to Portland, and has given Uncle Myers an order for an elegant pair of diamond studs and a fine stem-winder.

Go to Keith's for your oysters.

Remember that Child's Drug Store has been established in Portland five years.

Eastern Oysters every steamer at Keith'

Something new on exhibit at N. Y. Novelty Co's, 49 First. New goods every steamer.

Roller skating and bicycle school at the pavilion; open every day and evening (Sundays excepted).

Captain, if you wish to ship a crew and the consignees will not advance the money, you can get it at Uncle Myers', 181 First street.

COMING!—A number of Steinway & Sons' Parlor Grands, Square Grands and Cabinet Grand Upright. Albert Burch, agent, 89 Yamhill st., near Fourth.

Keep your money; don't spend your money until Feldman's new stock, now on the way, is opened at corner First and Salmon; ready in a few days; watch for his advertisement.

TO THE LADIES.

The handsomest window, with ready-made dresses and dolmans, will be in Litt's corner windows.

REMOVED.—E. Summerfield, the popular merchant tailor, has removed to 249 First street, between Main and Madison.

All the leading Patent Medicines can be found at Child's Drug Store.

Garrison's Sewing Machine Store, 167 Third street, is the best place in Oregon to get all kinds of machines repaired, for needles, attachments, silk thread, machine parts, etc.

For a fine piano, second hand, call at 153 Third street. A bargain.

THE O. R. & N. CO.'S TERMINUS.

WORK AT ALBINA TO BE COMMENCED AT ONCE.

The Great Depot will be Built in Couch's Lake, if the Council Consents to Close Certain Streets.

This morning twelve No. 13 and fifteen cars of the O. R. & N. Co. will be shipped from The Dalles to this city to begin the work of leveling ground for the company's yards and new depot on Albina. In a few weeks another carload with like number of cars will be forwarded here for the same purpose. The company within the next four months have bought a strip of land fronting for its depot and one-fourth miles long and from one-third to one-half mile wide. It extends from a point just below the old Nicolai mill to the long wood dock, and from the river to a line about 700 feet east of the county road. This gives the company all the room requisite for passenger and freight depots, elevators, coal docks, machine shops, car sheds and switching yards. The company also own fifteen hundred feet of river front immediately below the Oregon & California depot. The track from The Dalles coming down Sullivan's gulch will swing around the bluff opposite the foot of Fairview and run northwards, running east of the O. & C. depot, then close to the river bank as far as the Mood-gomery slough above Albina. Here it will run northwest for a short distance, crossing the slough, then through Goldsmith street to the company's property. Plans and specifications for the buildings above mentioned are now being prepared, and construction will commence within a few days. The passenger, freight warehouses and coal bins will be built on piles, the river side extending into its feet of water. A track will run through the line of docks and warehouses, then into the switch yard. The machine shops will be located back of the river, nearly half a mile north of the old Knowell residence on the hill. Expenditures for improvements will not be less than $1,000,000, and the time will not be far distant when from a thousand to fifteen hundred men in various capacities will be employed upon this, grounds by the company.

THE PASSENGER DEPOT

Is yet a problem. The company own enough grounds in Couch's lake, northwest of the Clarendon hotel, on which to build such a depot as Mr. Villard has proposed, and if the citizens of Portland give consent to closing up such portions of certain streets as may be necessary to carry the magnificent plans of Mr. Villard into effect, this city will have the finest and grandest passenger depot in America. The voice of the people will no doubt soon find an opportunity to express itself, and if no protest is entered within the time specified by law, the council may grant the petition. There is scarcely a doubt that the taxpayers of Portland are unanimous in favor of having the depot on the west side of the Willamette river. The engineers have not decided where the bridge will be located. Half a dozen accessible points present themselves between Weidlers' sawmill and Swan island, and access to the proposed site will not be difficult.

SNAKE RIVER BRIDGE.

The Northern Pacific have let to D. D. McBean the contract for building the piers of the bridge over Snake river, near its mouth. They will be eight in number, and cost $250,000. The terms of the contract require the work to be done by April 1, 1883. Mr. McBean is already on the ground, and has begun operations. Stone is obtained at Granite point, near Wawawai. A fine quarry has been opened near lake Pen d'Oreille, and it is likely that considerable stone will be taken from there. The iron for the draw, which will weigh between 200 and 300 tons, was ordered some time since from the Phœnix iron works, of Phœnixville, Pa., and a good portion is already en route. The entire superstructure will be of the best quality of iron, and constructed in the most substantial manner. It will cost not far from $500,000. As the company has a powerful ferry at this point, the bridge for the present is not a necessity, but it will be finished in time for the first through train from New York.

RAILROAD NOTES.

The O. R. & N. Co. expect to have regular trains running between the Cascades and The Dalles by April 1st. Track laying will be finished by the last of next week, but the roadbed requires to be thoroughly ballasted before traffic is commenced.

The O. R. & N. Co. began this week to run their freight cars to the end of the Northern Pacific's track. Hereafter car load lots, east or west, will go through without breaking bulk.

Traffic was resumed on the East side division of the narrow gauge road yesterday, and the west side will be in operation to-day.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

ST. CHARLES.

Edgar F Iches, Baltimore	Mrs T J Peabody & 3 chn,
S W Fletcher, McCoy	Texas Ferry
C E Worthington, "	H T Waller, Amity
E Bailey, Bethel	J D Kelly, McCoy
W A Charles & w, Amity	T C Junkkins, Eugene
W A Cummings & w, independence	Dr H R Littlefield, Ventnor
J Smith, Buena Vista	J M Patterson, Salem
Whitmichael, Sommerville	E W Sanderlon, Fossile, Or
Miss Rose Bentley, W W	Wm McGown & w, W W
W F White, Lost Valley	H H Draper, Dalles
J M Kitchen, Irving	Michael Finnigan, Dalles
H M Weatherbee & wife, Eagle Cliff	Miss Griffin, Walla Walla
P Turpen, Olympia	J J Wilson, Cathlamet
T H Monaghan, Dalles	A W Stow, Junction
G Belmont, Scio	Martin Welzenske, S F
W F Boyle, Dixie	A Briggs, Scio
Miss F V Baldwin, Olympia	B L Longtellow, Sandy
T Bradley, Port Townsend	L D Price, King's Valley
A W Forsyth, Shemgoop	Jno C Davenport & fy, Cheney
Mrs Welch, Oregon City	O Gardener, Laurel Plains
Jno Hughes, Salem	J W Miller, Oregon City
E H Bellinger, Jefferson	H S Wheeler, Salem

CLARENDON HOTEL.

E J Harding, Marion co	G S Congdon, Chicago
J W Moore, Harrisburg	J W Gilbert, Salem
J Watt, Amity	A Flemming, Wells
Mrs C Lowery, Wells	H S Hancock, "
C F Waller, Monmouth	H S Hamilton, Corvallis
W D Wilson, Salem	H O Frazer, Pa
T McKay, Hood River	P Seeley, Jr., Oswego
J Dickerson, Seattle	J P Dibble, Heppner
Rev A J Hunsaker, McMinn	Miss F Temple, Brownsv'e
H Gibson & fy, Hood River	H H Wheeler, Astoria
Dr J H Heustis, Astoria	R N Williamson, Wells

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Frank Dalles, Astoria	W K Crothers, Spg Water
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P A Morkson, Idaho	M E Lewis, Idaho
E J Sommerville, Pendleton	Miss L Howrd, Pendleton
S Reese, Western Oregon	J N Fordyce, Dalles
Mrs J N Fordyce, Dalles	Master Fordyce, "
Miss Annie Lang, "	Miss Bessie Lang, "
A R Breyman, Prineville	D Longfellow, Olympia
Dave Earl, S F	Samuel Coulter, Seattle
Mrs Annie Huston, Seattle	Alex Smart, Tacoma
Chas Brash, Seattle	Frank Crouch, Seattle
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Jas Graham, Dalles	Sam Powell, Dalles

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Jos Nichof, Eugene	P Runey, Astoria
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G Broughton, Ogn City	J M Jones, Dalles
H L Mills, Hubbard	J Edwards & w, Newburg
L Chapell & w, Ogn City	J DeCorsey, Woodburn
C Kenneth, city	

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

Signal service United States army. Division of telegrams and reports for the benefit of commerce and agriculture. Report for the last 24 hours. The following observations are taken at the same moment of time at all the stations named.

PORTLAND, March 7, 7:57 P. M.

Place of Observation	Height of Barom.	Change in last Hours.	Ther.	Wind Direc.	Rain fall in inches.	State of weather.
Portland	30.30	—.07	42	W	.29	Cloudy
Olympia	30.22	—.05	41	SW	.05	Clear
Roseburg	30.31	—.05	42	N	.09	Thrtg
Red Bluff	30.16	—.04	52	NW	.00	Clear
Sacramento	30.17	—.09	53	S	.00	Clear
Umatilla	30.34	—.—	38	S	.06	Lt Rain

Maximum temperature, 49.0 degrees; minimum temperature, 34.0 degrees.

River 7 feet 1 inch above low water mark; fallen 1 foot 11 inches.

BEADS, BEADS! at N. Y. Novelty Co's, 49 First st.

New Domestic Sewing Machines, 49 Salmon street

All kinds sewing machines repaired. John Barbey 32 Yamhill.

Great Reduction in Clothing, made to order, for the next 30 days, at Don Tom Tailoring establishment, No. 11 Oak st. Skipper & Ryder, proprietors, on account of making room for spring stock.

ATTENTION, LADIES.

Mrs. Pilger has returned from San Francisco and will lead the spring styles. See ad.

TO THE LADIES.

Mrs. Litt, the acknowledged cutter and fitter, will attend to her customers again.

32 years' experience at Child's Drug Store.

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FROM SALEM.

JUDGE BURNETT APPOINTED TO SUCCEED JUDGE WATSON.

The Supreme Court Getting Ready for the March Terms—Five Mill School Tax Voted—Personal Notes—Etc.

REGULAR CORRESPONDENT OF THE OREGONIAN.

SALEM, March 7.

Governor Thayer this morning appointed John Burnett, of Corvallis, circuit judge of the second judicial district, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Hon. James F. Watson.

The March term of the supreme court convened at 9 o'clock, P. M., on Monday last, but adjourned without transacting any business. The same can be said of this morning's proceedings, the court awaiting the completion of the docket, which will not be closed until this evening. Twenty-five new cases have thus far been docketed, and eight continued from last term. Additional cases will no doubt be filed during the day.

Governor Thayer has appointed John A. Scouten, of Conner Creek, Baker county, as notary public for the ensuing two years.

The annual school meeting of this district, held at Reed's opera house last evening, was very largely attended, showing an increased interest in school matters. The directors made their estimates for the coming year on a three mill tax basis. After some little discussion a five mill tax was levied, with the understanding that three and one-half mills was to go toward the support of the schools for the ensuing year, and the directors requested to increase the salaries of teachers somewhat, and the remaining 1½ mills is to be set aside as a sinking fund, with a view of using it in the erection of new and commodious central school building. The clerk of the district, J. S. Stephens, Esq., reported cost $5,600 in interest on last year's levy, which certainly speaks well for the economy of the schools far there appears a unanimous desire to secure his re-election. Among the gentlemen spoken of as successor to O. Dickerson, whose time has expired as school director, the names of H. C. Boon, E. M. White, W. L. Wade and L. F. Pratt are mentioned. Pr in this list a good selection can easily be made.

Gen. E. Meyer will be a passenger on the outgoing steamer of this week for Europe, having also charge of the emblematic yearling, Sacramento, and acquainting himself with the military organization of our sister state, with a view of introducing, if possible, some of its superior points, and contagious details into the militia service of this state.

The following articles of incorporation have recently been filed in the office of the secretary of state.—The Portland Transfer Company," with a capital stock of $25,000 and J. A. Wetmore, J. W. Souther and L. L. Souther, as incorporators. Also "The Vacuum Motor Machine Company," with head office at Corvallis, a capital stock of $500 with power to increase, and Oswald Seifert, H. W. Vincent, N. B. Avery and F. H. Sawtelle as incorporators.

Multnomah county has recently paid $36,125 into the state treasury as a portion of the state taxes due.

Gov. Thayer is in receipt of an invitation to attend the memorial services of President Garfield. The invitation is a splendid specimen of the engraver's art, and will be framed and hung in the executive department at Salem as a memento of that important event.

Mr. Samuel Beck and bride of your city are visiting Salem, where they are receiving the congratulations of friends and acquaintances.

Carlisle Langhead, formerly of this city but more recently of The Dalles, was married on Sunday last to Miss Florence Elgin, of Ankeny's landing in this county, Rev. J. Taylor Chambers, of St. Paul's Episcopal church officiating.

Col. Reed contemplates the early erection of an addition to his brick hotel and opera house in this city.

Judge Waldo has resumed his seat on the supreme bench after a long and severe illness, the effects of which have left him looking somewhat pale and emaciated.

Joshua J. Walton, Jr., of Eugene City is sojourning in Salem. Hon. G. W. Gray an l daughters, Mrs. M. C. Townsdale and Miss Jennie Gray are expected home to-morrow after a somewhat lengthy visit in southern California.

Mrs. Sam W. Church has gone to San Francisco for a short visit.

W. W. Skinner, Esq., agent for the O. & C. R. R. in this city was taken dangerously ill on Sunday evening and his life was despaired of for a short time. We are pleased to learn that he is improving however.

Gaines Fisher contemplates the erection of a large addition to his livery stable on Commercial street at an early day.

BRIEF MENTION.

Patents have been issued to E. M. White of Eliot, W. T., for a hay wagon, and to Alex. C. W. Turner of Nicola Valley, B. C., for clasp for corset stiffeners.

The Jefferson-street ferry company repaired their cable yesterday, and the boat will run without interruption to-day.

The branch office of the Western Union Telegraph Co., corner First and Washington, is open from 9 A. M. to 5:30 P. M.

E. O. Sutter, the druggist at Gervais, Marion Co., died yesterday of hemorrhage of the lungs.

There will be a special meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union this afternoon at the Congregational church at 2 P. M.

A class is being formed for a course of lectures to be given by Mrs. Williams, who is turned here last summer. Mrs. Williams is expected here next month.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS.

L R Fields and wife C E Fields, lots 6 and 8, 20 feet E ½ lot 7, blk 251, East Portland; March 7th—$75.

G F Whitworth and wife to J M Kern, lot 6, blk 21, East Portland; Feb 6th—$600.

J Heubner to H B Muller, lots 15 and 16, double blk 263, Couch's add; March 7th—$1,000.

H Fitzpatrick to Alphina Bartlett lots 3 and 4, blk 244, East Portland.

Wm Gray et al to Leanora Gray, property in Portland and East Portland; March 2d—$10.

H B Hudson and wife to T A Wood, E ½ SW ¼ of S 20, T 1 S, R 1 E; March 7th—$1150.

Jacksonville Times: Horace L. Ish, who has been to Alaska for something past, got back during the week. He informs us that the reported death of Wm. K. Ish was only too true. Mr. Ish is of the opinion that his brother's death was the result of unnatural causes, and he will return soon and sift the matter to the bottom. His brother was engaged in a lucrative fishing and trading business, which it is thought tempted the cupidity of certain parties, and caused a desire to have him spirited away. Mr. Ish says that the mineral, fishing and lumber interests of Alaska will in time prove quite extensive, but otherwise the territory is comparatively valueless.

The Fannie E. Paddock memorial hospital will be opened to the public on the 28th of April.

Artists' color boxes at Shanahan's Art Gallery.

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Broken candy, 20c; mixed candy, 25c; fancy mixed, 40c per pound at the Postoffice Candy Store.

TO THE LADIES.

The yearly price list for making ladies dresses will be in Litt's window when moved—about the 10th.

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THE GRAND JURY REPORT.

New Market Theater Gallery and W. M. C. A. Hall Pronounced Unsafe.—The Poor Farm comes in for Severer Criticism.

To the Honorable judges of the circuit court of the state of Oregon for the county of Multnomah: The grand jury duly impaneled, charged and sworn in and for this term of the above named court, would respectfully beg leave to report.

We have diligently inquired into all matters coming before us touching the county that have come to our notice, and have disposed of them to the best of our ability. Since we have been empaneled we have examined into a very large number of cases, and have reported a considerable number of true bills of indictment, and have also ignored a great number of charges which have been presented for our consideration.

We have visited and examined the county jail and find it in excellent condition—clean, tidy, and well kept in all respects. Mr. McManus, the jailer, under the direction of the sheriff, gives careful attention to details in the management of the jail. The entire cleanliness and proper care of all the cells and cells, so that their health is affected by confinement as little as possible. The prisoners also are well fed and provided for in other respects, as the interests of justice or humanity or a regard for the rights of the taxpayers would justify.

We respectfully approve of the recommendation of Sheriff Dolph in regard to some additional cells in the construction of the jail, as contained in the report presented to the clerk's office. That addition to the cells will, in our opinion, lessen the work of the jailer, as also render that portion of the jail more easily ventilated. After that portion of the work relating to the interior of the jail is completed in the matter of health the inmates of the jail will be much safer from fire, and doom if not improper to briefly report the result of our investigations. We visited and examined what is known as the New Market theater, and find the means of rapid exit very imperfect in case of a fire, where the building is occupied by a considerable crowd of people, as is frequently the case. We think the upper portion of the building, known as the gallery, particularly unsafe, and recommend a change in the stairways leading to the same or that the gallery be closed entirely. We believe that the stairways leading to the gallery are so narrow, long and crooked that in case of a fire under the circumstances above stated the consequence would in all probability be disastrous. We visited the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association, and find the main room to have a capacity of seating from five to six hundred persons, with but one flight of stairs leading therefrom, and we believe that the safety of the large crowds attending there requires a better means of egress in case of a fire or panic than the one flight of stairs referred to. We also visited the leading church buildings of the city, and find them as well arranged and as well provided with means of rapid egress in case of fire or other casualty as could reasonably be expected.

In view of the probable recurrence to which the position of the city as a seaport renders it peculiarly liable, we respectfully suggest not only as a measure of safety, but of economy, that the city and county authorities co-operate in the construction of of a substantial building to be used as a permanent pest house, and would recommend that a location a reasonable distance from the city be selected near some of the numerous stone quarries, and that in the construction of such building the labor of both county and city prisoners be utilized.

Regarding as we do, the use of gambling as one of the growing and dangerous evils of the city, we have devoted considerable time to the investigation of charges of that character, and in view of the liability of property owners to be mulct for such purposes, we have requested the district attorney to notify all property owners where gambling has been shown to exist, and after reasonable time to institute proceedings against them in case such practice is allowed by them to be continued.

Having now completed the business before us we respectfully ask to be discharged.

ENOCH TURNER, Foreman Grand Jury.

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100 Japanese Trays, worth $1 00 for			50c each
50 Japanese Bread Baskets, worth 75c for			40c each
100 pcs. of Glass worth 81 for			60c each
250 feet of Mirrors			10c each
100 doz. Decorated fine dinner plates 9½ c set worth			$1 00
100 doz. Decorated fine breakfast plates 6½ c set, worth			75
100 dishes worth .05 each for			25
100 " 10c "			35
100 " 80c "			40
100 " 75c "			50
100 " $1 00 "			60
100 " 1 25 "			75

Having added largely to our stock, and getting our goods from first hands and by every steamer, we are able to cope with any firm in this city in offering inducements in

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1 Bolt No. 9 Brocaded Ribbon	$1.00
1 Fine Felt Skirt	1.00
1 Doz. Pillow Lace, 5 inches wide	1.00
1 Fine Brocaded silk handkerchief, high colors, 21x21	1.00
1 Doz. Gents' Cambric Handkerchiefs, large	1.00
1 Doz. Fancy Embroidered Ladies' Handkerchiefs	1.00
1 Doz. Childrens' Assorted Hose	1.00
1 Box of Half-finished Ladies' Balbriggan Hose, 6 prs	1.00
1 Doz. Ladies' Plain Linen Collars	1.00
1 Doz. Valenciennes Lace, 1 1-4 inches wide	1.00
1 Doz. Yack Lace, black, 2 1-2 inches wide	1.00
25 Yards one-half inch Embroidery	1.00
25 Yards three-fourth inch Insertion	1.00
1 Doz. Gents' Bleached Half-hose	1.00
7 Pairs Shaker Socks	1.00
1 Gents' Fine Wool Hat	1.00
1 Pair of Three-button Jouvin Coupe Kid Gloves	1.00
One-half Doz. Knives and Forks, white bone handle	1.00
One-half Doz. Goodyear-Rubber Dressing Combs	1.00
1 Each, Shaving Brush, Clothes Brush, Hair Brush and Tooth Brush for	1.00
1 Elegant Spanish Lace Tie, black, ecru or white	1.00
1 Large White Honeycomb Bed Spread	1.00
2 Boxes Sterling Toilet Soap, one doz. each	1.00
1 Ladies' Knitted Jacket, Sleeveless	1.00
1 Gents' Cardigan Jacket, red or blue border	1.00
1 Gross Pearl Dress Buttons	1.00
10 Yards of Fine Corded Piqué	1.00
1 Pair Lillie Corsets, all colors, elegant silk embroidery	1.00
8 Yards Brocaded or Striped Dress Goods, in all the latest shades, for	1.00
1 Yard Superior Quality Linen Buck Satin	1.00
4 Yards Heavy Twilled Gray Shaker Flannel	1.00
1 Pair Misses' B. Calf Balmorals	1.00
1 Comforter, large size	1.00
1 Pair Gents' Fur Topped Dog-Skin

The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, MARCH 8, 1882.

THE MAIL CONTRACTS.

We find in the Washington papers the following list of quadrennial mail lettings, to begin July 1, 1882, and terminate June 30, 1886:

State of Oregon.

OREGON RAILWAY AND NAVIGATION COMPANY.

Route 44,100, From Portland, via Vancouver, Rooster Rock, Cascades, White Salmon, Hood River and Mt. Adams, to The Dalles, daily.....$ 2,500

44,109, From Portland to Astoria, six times a week for the principal landings, and twice a week for the Westport and Clifton routes.....

Total.....$12,500

LAWSON, CONTRACTOR.

44,5—, from Lyman's landing, via Marshland, Cedarville and Riverside, to Vesper, 5 miles, and back, once a week.....$ 260

44,109, Portland to Schnell's Ferry, 15 miles, and back, once a week.....

44,110, East Portland to Eagle Creek, by Powellhurst and Sandy, tri-weekly.....

44,112, East Portland to Troutdale, weekly, 15 miles and back.....

44,114, Oswego, to Aurora Mills, 14 miles and back, weekly.....

44,117, Silverton to Jacksonville, via Butte creek, Damascus, Idad Cottage, Molalla, etc., 56 miles and back, tri-weekly.....

44,122, Hillsboro to Laurel, 11 miles and back, once a week.....

44,130, Forest Grove, by Gales creek, to Burnt Woods, 19 miles and back, weekly.....

44,132, McMinnville to Grande Ronde, via Bellevue and Sheridan, daily.....

44,135, Keiso to Fox valley, 17 miles, once a week.....

44,141, Peoria to Shedd, 6 miles, weekly.....

44,145, Harrisburg to Willamette Forks, semi-weekly, 16 miles.....

44,147, Corvallis to Yaquina Bay, 38 miles and back, tri-weekly.....

44,149, Newport to Tidewater, 31 miles and back, weekly.....

Total.....$8,390

DEVELL, CONTRACTOR.

44,115, Aurora Mills to Needy, semi-weekly...$ 119

44,116, Fairfield to Aurora Mills, 20 miles and back, tri-weekly.....

Total.....$ 669

WARREN, CONTRACTOR.

44,202, Pendleton to Wallula, semi-weekly....$ 742

44,134, Dayton to Lafayette and St. Joseph, twice daily, 4 miles and back.....

44,151, Eugene City by Spencer Creek and Siuslaw to Cartwright's, 25 miles, weekly.....

44,163, Oakland to Fair Oaks, weekly.....

44,174, Dora to Myrtle Point, 17 miles and back weekly.....

44,197, Prineville to Camp Polk, 40 miles and back, weekly.....

44,198, Prineville to Howard, 18 miles and back, weekly.....

44,199, Willard to Bake Oven, via Spanish Hollow, 60 miles, weekly.....

44,212, Baker City to Canyon City via Auburn, Prairie City and John Day, daily.....

44,215, Canyon City to Camp Harney, 75 miles and back, once a week.....

44,229, Weatherby to Rye Valley, 10 miles and back, weekly.....

Total.....$10,146

C. W. MOORE, CONTRACTOR.

44,123, Salem via Lincoln and Wheatland to Dayton, 23 miles, tri-weekly.....$ 670

44,126, Salem via Stepp's and Whitaker to Knight, semi-weekly.....

44,167, Roseburg to Empire City, over the Coos Bay wagon road, 67 miles, daily.....

44,203, Umatilla to Meadows, 15 miles and back, semi-weekly.....

44,207, La Grand via Island City to Summerville daily, 20 miles and back.....

44,209, Summerville to Wallowa Lake, 65 miles and back, tri-weekly.....

44,214, Baker City to Clarkesville and Humboldt Basin to Stowe, tri-weekly.....

44,221, Stowe via Lower Boise and Middleton to Boise City, 92 miles, tri-weekly.....

44,223, Tillamook via Nestucken to Grand Ronde agency, once a week.....

Total.....$14,510

I. R. MINER, CONTRACTOR.

4416, Oakland, via Elk Head and Ida to Cottage Grove, twice a week.....$ 390

44,196, Bake Oven to Cross Keys, weekly.....

44,206, Prairie City to Granite, weekly.....

Total.....$1,020

C. M. KELLOGG, CONTRACTOR.

44,211, Summerville to Weston, via Purdy, 50 miles and back, tri-weekly.....$ 1,295

44,218, Weatherby to Conner Creek, 19 miles and back, tri-weekly.....

44,220, Sparta, by Brownlee's Ferry to Salubria, Idaho, weekly.....

Total.....$2,795

JOHN BAILEY, CONTRACTOR.

44,184, Linkville, by Klamath Agency, to Fort Klamath; 37 miles and back.....

44,193, Heppner, via Spring Valley and Lone Rock, to Lost Valley, once a week.....

44,210, Summerville, via Cove, to Union, 28 miles and back, tri-weekly.....

Total.....$2,163

W. M. M'COY CONTRACTOR.

44,108, Portland to Oswego, daily.....$ 680

44,181, Grant's Pass to Galice Creek, weekly....

44,192, Blalock, via Heppner, to Pendleton, daily, 117 miles and back.....

44,213, Baker City to Sparta, semi-weekly.....

Total.....$7445

PEASE, CONTRACTOR.

44,120, Sam's Valley to Thomas' Hill.....$ 140

44,191, Antelope, by Pozzil and Crown Rock, to Lost Valley, weekly, 60 miles and back.....

44,194, Mitchell to Waldron, weekly.....

44,204, Pettyville to Willows, weekly.....

Total.....$1480

EATON, CONTRACTOR.

44,156, Corvallis to Junction City, via Monroe, 26 miles and back, tri-weekly.....$332

44,150, Junction City to Franklin, semi-weekly.. 208

Total.....$540

REED, JARVIS, CONTRACTOR.

44,140, Albany to Lebanon, daily.....$ 497

44,173, Coos City to Randolph, semi-weekly.....

Total.....$1095

RANDALL, CONTRACTOR.

44,128, Salem to Silverton, daily.....$ 018

44,129, Salem to Dallas, daily.....

Total.....$1266

SMITH, CONTRACTOR.

44,226, Turner to Mehama, via Aumsville and Stayton, 20 miles, tri-weekly.....$349

44,222, Nefert Bay to Tillamook, 19 miles, weekly

Total.....$193

POWERS, CONTRACTOR.

44,153, Eugene City to Cheshire, 34 miles and back, semi-weekly.....$ 584

44,155, Eugene City to Mabel, via Mohawk, 30 miles, semi-weekly.....

Total.....$1008

Miscellaneous Contractors.

44,102, Astoria to Gray's river, weekly, to T. O. Hunt.....$ 250

44,103, Astoria to Mishawaka, weekly, 33 miles and back, Estabrook.....

44,104, Astoria to Seaside, 22 miles, tri-weekly, E. M. Grimes.....

44,106, St. Helens to Vernonia, weekly, 28 miles and back, Kordel.....

44,107, Portland via Tualatin to Lafayette, tri-weekly, W. H. Day.....

44,113, Eagle Creek to Highland, 16 miles and back, Foster.....

44,121, Forest Grove to Mountain Dale, 15 miles, semi-weekly, Rinehart.....

44,122, West Chehalem to North Yamhill, twice a week, Wood.....

44,123, North Yamhill to Tillamook, semi-weekly, E. Corbett.....

44,124, Seaside House to Tillamook, 54 miles, weekly, Cotton.....

44,127, Salem to Sheridan, 37 miles, daily, Davis.....

44,131, Grand Ronde reservation to Oretown, 28 miles and back, weekly, Rock.....

44,137, Dallas to Alsea, 55 miles, semi-weekly, Greer.....

44,139, Albany to Corvallis, 10 miles daily, Griffith.....

44,141, Crawfordsville to Halsey, daily, 15 miles, Martin.....

44,142, Lebanon to Sweet Home, semi-weekly, 20 miles, Parrish.....

44,143, Oakville to Shedd's, 8 miles, semi-weekly, Bell.....

44,148, Alsea to Tidewater, Willette.....

44,154, Eugene City to McKenzie Bridge, 60 miles, weekly, Dolin.....

44,165, Goshen to Dexter, 13 miles, semi-weekly, Litton.....

44,166, Springfield to Cannon, 18 miles, semi-weekly, Burton.....

44,169, Gardiner to Florence, 39 miles, tri-weekly, Barrett.....

44,170, Gardiner to Sulphur Springs, 25 miles and back, semi-weekly, Reed.....

44,183, Oakland to Elkton, 15 miles and back, weekly, Buckley.....

44,186, Oakland to Looking Glass, 31 miles, semi-weekly, Buell.....

44,188, Roseburg to Florence, 39 miles, tri-weekly, Barrett.....

44,189, Gardiner to Sulphur Springs, 25 miles and back, semi-weekly, Reed.....

44,190, Looking Glass to Coquille City, 78 miles, tri-weekly, Snyder.....

44,171, Coquille to Parvieu, 10 miles, tri-weekly, Burton.....

44,172, Myrtle Point to Port Orford, 60 miles, semi-weekly.....

44,175, Port Orford to Ellensburgh, 35 miles and back, Knapp.....

44,176, Port Orford to Randolph, 56 miles, twice a week, Morris.....

44,179, Jacksonville to Brownsborough, 32 miles, tri-weekly, Cunningham.....

44,178, Jacksonville to Crescent City, Cal., 127 miles, semi-weekly, McMahon.....

44,179 Jacksonville to Wrights, 24 miles, weekly, Cotton.....

44,183 Linkville to Clear Lake, 60 miles, weekly, J. W. Maning.....

44,185, Linkville to Tule lake, 21 miles, weekly, J. D. Carr.....

44,146, Lakeview, via Paisley, 70 miles, weekly, By Lovelace.....

44,180, The Dalles to Mitchell, 100 miles, triweekly, H. B. Eastman.....

44,198, The Dalles to Prineville, 100 miles, weekly, W. Rembaugh.....

44,200, La Grande to Granite, 60 miles, weekly, Eastham.....

Recapitulation.

O. R. & N. Co.....$12,587 | I. R. Miner.....
Lawson.....
Bailey.....
Devell.....
Warren.....
C. W. Moore.....
Eaton.....
Reed.....
Randall.....
Smith.....
Powers.....
Miscellaneous.....
Total.....

Blank proposals and instructions will be furnished on application to the Postmasters at the termini of the routes. Bidders will address their proposals to the Second Assistant Postmaster-General, and indorse them "Proposals for carrying the mail."

Bonds with sureties will be required in the sum of twice the amount of the bid.

The Postmaster-General reserves the right to reject any bid he may deem unreasonable.

Bidders will state the number of trips per week they propose to perform, and the time of departure and arrival at each end of the route.

Bidders will state the number of horses they propose to use, and the kind of vehicle.

Bidders will state the price per mile per annum for which they will perform the service.

Bidders will state the shortest time in which they will perform the service.

Bidders will state the price per mile per annum for which they will perform the service in the shortest time.

Bidders will state the price per mile per annum for which they will perform the service in a time intermediate between the regular time and